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ನೀಯರೂ ಕೂಡ 5,000 ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳ ಡೊನೇಷನ್  
ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಎಂ. ಲಿಂಗಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರ  
ವನ್ನು ಬೇಗ ಮಂಜೂರು ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕಿರುವ  
ಅಡಚಣೆಯೇನು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.—ಅದೊಂದು ಪ್ರೈವರಿ ಹೆಲ್ತ್  
ಕೇಂದ್ರವನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯಬೇಕೆಂದು ಡೈರೆಕ್ಟರವರು  
ಒಂದು ವರದಿ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅದು ಸರ್ಕಾರ  
ದವರ ಪರಾಮರ್ಶೆ(ಚನಯ್ಯ).

Mr. SPEAKER.—Questions Nos.  
392 and 533 may be taken up  
together.

### Prohibition at K.G.F. (Demand for abolition).

Q.—392. Sri K. S. VASAN (Kolar  
Gold Fields).—

Will the Government be pleased to  
state :—

(a) whether it is not a fact that  
the entire audience of a mammoth  
gathering on the 29th August 1955  
addressed by the Chief Minister  
demanded that Prohibition in K.G.F.  
be scrapped immediately ;

(b) whether they would come  
forward to scrap prohibition in the  
K.G.F. in consideration of the wishes  
of the people of that place ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for  
Public Health and Local Self-Govern-  
ment).—

(a) No.

(b) No. It is a directive principle  
of the Constitution of India that the  
State should endeavour to bring about  
Prohibition. The question of intro-  
duction of Prohibition on an All-India  
basis is under the consideration of the  
Planning Commission. The recommen-  
dations of the Prohibition Enquiry  
Committee are under the consideration  
of Government and a policy decision  
will be taken in due course.

Q.—533. Sri P. M. SWAMIDURAI  
(K.G.F.—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to  
state :—

(a) whether it has come to their  
notice that the majority of the people

in K.G.F. have expressed their opinion  
against prohibition in K.G.F. when  
the Chief Minister visited the place in  
August 1955 ;

(b) the reaction of the Government  
to the opinion expressed ?

A.—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister  
for Public Health and Local Self-  
Government).—

(a) No.

(b) Does not arise in view of  
reply to (a).

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Did the Hon'ble  
Minister consult the Chief Minister  
before answering this question, Sir ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Yes.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—I rise to a  
point of order, Sir. Whether a Minister  
can give out information as to whether  
he consulted the Chief Minister or not.  
Those are matters entirely left to the  
Ministers.

Mr. SPEAKER.—That is true. But  
in this case, the particular information  
for consideration is whether in the  
presence of the Chief Minister the  
proposal was denied.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—It may  
be so, Sir. But the answer given  
would really affect the joint responsi-  
bility. Whatever answer is given by  
a Minister is supposed to be the  
answer on behalf of the Government.  
Whether a question as to any  
individual Minister consulted the Chief  
Minister can be allowed to be  
answered.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Because, as the  
Hon'ble Member puts it, it is the joint  
responsibility of the Government, he  
has asked it.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Is it not a fact  
that the Hon'ble the Chief Minister  
while addressing the gathering he  
himself put the prohibition issue to  
vote and got a unanimous verdict  
against the prohibition ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—The answer  
given is 'No'.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Is the Govern-  
ment aware that besides the Chief  
Minister, several Hon'ble Members of  
this House were also present in that  
gathering ?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—No, Sir.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—When did the Prohibition Enquiry Committee visited the State, Sir?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—I remember in the year 1948 that Committee visited Kolar Gold Fields.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—How many Organisations and persons were met by the Prohibition Enquiry Committee in the State during their enquiry?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—That information is not readily available with me, Sir.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—What are the places visited by them, Sir?

Mr. SPEAKER.—You are going into the details.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Did they visit the places where prohibition is in force?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Yes.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Did they visit K.G.F.?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Yes.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—I have to bring it to the notice of the Chair that some of the answers furnished are not facts, Sir.

Mr. SPEAKER.—You can raise it afterwards. The question is meant for getting information and not for converting details.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Have the Government ascertained the effects of prohibition on the level of nutrition, health and efficiency and public health in places where prohibition is introduced?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Government have not appointed any agency to ascertain the views and the effects of prohibition. The public opinion is that prohibition has produced very good results.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Have the Government ascertained medical expert opinion as to the effect of prohibition on the health and efficiency of the underground miners?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Prohibition has brought some discomfort and inconvenience to those addicts. But to the people in large who were drink addicts it has done good to them. Their economic condition and general health condition have improved.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—What is the total number of permits issued under the Prohibition Act in Kolar District, Sir?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Notice please.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDURAI.—Are not the Government aware of the tour of the Chief Minister in August in K.G.F.?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Yes, I am aware of it.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDURAI.—Is it not a fact that while the Chief Minister visited K.G.F. he addressed a gathering there? Put in the answer given it has been denied.

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—We have not denied that. He has addressed the gathering.

Mr. SPEAKER.—You must take the answer as it is furnished. You cannot question it now.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDURAI.—The answer is there. The Chief Minister did address a huge gathering and there were six legislators of this House present in that gathering.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question hour can be utilised for getting information. Some other occasion can be made use of for discussing that matter.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDURAI.—When we know definitely that there is a tour programme of the Chief Minister, does it mean that Government not aware of the Chief Minister's programme and activities?

Mr. SPEAKER.—He cannot remember all the programmes of the Chief Minister. The Chief Minister will be touring throughout the State.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDURAI.—Will the Government constitute a committee to go into the matter and find out whether the Chief Minister actually addressed the gathering?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Government do not think it necessary to appoint a committee.

Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS.—Did the Government give evidence before the Agarwal Committee?

Mr. SPEAKER.—I think the Hon'ble Member has already put a similar question.

**Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS.**—Was the evidence that the Government of Mysore gave before the Agarwal Commission in the form of a memorandum?

**Sri T. CHANNIAH.**—Yes, we have sent our views to the Committee.

**Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS.**—Will that memorandum be placed on the Table of the House?

**Sri T. CHANNIAH.**—That will be considered.

**Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS.**—The Chief Minister in addressing a meeting at K.G.F. asked the K.G.F. workers to start a campaign to convert people in the rest of the State towards their views, that is, towards the scrapping of prohibition. Is it not against the Directive Principles of the Constitution?

**Mr. SPEAKER.**—All these things cannot be discussed now.

**Sri T. CHANNIAH.**—Government is not aware of any such statement made by him.

**ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಆರ್. ನಾಯ್ಡು.**—ಇಲ್ಲಿ ತಾವು ಪಾನ ನಿರೋಧ ಎಂಬ ಪದಕಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಪಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಎಷ್ಟು ಜಾತಿ ಪಾನಗಳಿರುತ್ತವೆ ಎನ್ನುವುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸುವುದು ಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆಯೇ?

**Sri T. CHANNIAH.**—There are many kinds of drinks.

**ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಆರ್. ನಾಯ್ಡು.**—ಈ ಪಾನ ಎನ್ನ ತಕ್ಕದ್ದು ದೇವಾದಿ ದೇವತೆಗಳ ಕಾಲದಿಂದಲೂ ಬಂದಿರತಕ್ಕದ್ದು ಎನ್ನುವುದು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನದಲ್ಲಿರೆಯೇ?

(ಉತ್ತರವಿಲ್ಲ.)

**Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.**—What are the terms of reference of the Agarwal Committee?

**Sri T. CHANNIAH.**—The terms of reference are: (1) to examine the experience gained regarding the measures adopted by the State Governments to promote prohibition with a view to assessing the extent to which these have been successful and analysing the practical difficulties, administrative, economic, social and otherwise which have come in the way of implementation of the programme of prohibition; (2) to make recommendations for a programme of prohibition on a national basis; (3) to indicate the manner and the stages in which and the machinery through which this programme should be carried out; and (4) to make such other recommendations on the subject

as the Committee, might consider necessary.

### D.D.T. Spraying in Certain Villages of Davanagere Taluk.

Q.—640. Srimathi Bellary SIDDAMMA (Davanagere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether D.D.T. has not been sprayed for the last two years in the villages of Koithur, Bethur, Mellekatte, Gudalu, Dyamavvarahalli, Hulikatte, Kurudi, Kereyagalahalli, etc., in Davanagere Taluk;

(b) the reason why D.D.T. was not sprayed though the abovesaid villages are malarial?

A.—**Sri T. CHANNIAH** (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

(a) No.

(b) These villages are not reported to be malarious.

**ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.**—ಈ 8-10 ಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಿಗೆ 2 ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದೀಚೆಗೆ ಒಂದಾವರ್ತಿಯಾದರೂ ಆ ಹೆರ್ರಿ ಆಫೀಸರು ಹೋಗಿ ಭೇಟಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ?

**ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.**—ಅವರು ಹೋಗಿಲ್ಲ.

**ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.**—ಆ ರೀತಿ ತಮಗೆ ನಾದರೂ ವರದಿ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

**ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.**—ಬಂದಿದೆ.

**ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.**—ಮುಂದೆನು ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದಿದ್ದೀರಿ?

**ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.**—ಆ ಗ್ರಾಮಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಈಗ ಮಲೇರಿಯಾ ಹಾವಳಿ ಇಲ್ಲ. ಅದುದರಿಂದ ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಈಗ ಡಿ.ಡಿ.ಟಿ. ಎರಚುವ ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆಯಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

**ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.**—ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಮಲೇರಿಯಾ ಹಾವಳಿ ಇನ್ನೂ ಜಾಸ್ತಿಯಾಗಿ ಜನರು ಸಾಯುತ್ತಿರುವುದು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

**ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.**—ಈಗ ಆ ಅಣಜಿ ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆಗೆ ಬರತಕ್ಕ 10-15 ಜನ ರೋಗಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾರೂ ಮಲೇರಿಯಾದಿಂದ ನರಳುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ತಿಳಿದುಬಂದಿದೆ.

**ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.**—ಅಲ್ಲರತಕ್ಕಂಥ ಜನರು ಆ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆಗೂ ನಹ ಬಾರದಂಥ ಬಡವರಾಗಿರುತ್ತಾರೆಂಬ ಅಂಶ ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

**ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಚನ್ನಯ್ಯ.**—ಹಾಗಿದ್ದರೆ ಮತ್ತೆ ವಿಚಾರ ಮಾಡಿ ಸೂಕ್ತ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

**ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.**—ತಾವು ಈ.ಡಿ.ಟಿ. ಹೊಡೆದಾಗ್ಯೂ ಸೊಳ್ಳೆಗಳು ಸಾಯುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲವಲ್ಲ.